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House Resolution 101

By: Representatives Amerson of the 9<sup>th</sup>, Williams of the 4<sup>th</sup>, Ralston of the 7<sup>th</sup>, and Collins of the 27<sup>th</sup>

## A RESOLUTION

- 1 Recognizing and commending Cadet Kevin H. Bernhardt and inviting him to appear before
- 2 the House of Representatives; and for other purposes.
- 3 WHEREAS, Cadet Kevin H. Bernhardt will graduate this year from North Georgia College
- 4 & State University in Dahlonega, Georgia, where he attended on a United States Army
- 5 ROTC scholarship for the last four years; and
- 6 WHEREAS, a graduate of Grayson High School and a history major, Cadet Bernhardt has
- 7 maintained an impressive grade point average of 3.68; and
- 8 WHEREAS, Cadet Bernhardt currently serves as commander of Second Battalion, being
- 9 selected for this post due to his outstanding performance, leadership potential, and academic
- 10 achievement; and
- 11 WHEREAS, during the summer of 2008, Cadet Bernhardt attended the Army ROTC
- 12 National Leader Development and Assessment Course at Fort Lewis, Washington, where he
- 13 completed the course ranked number 20 in the nation out of the 4,400 cadets in attendance,
- 14 a great accomplishment deserving of recognition; and
- 15 WHEREAS, this fine leader has been honored with numerous cadet, military, and scholastic
- 16 awards, some of which include being named Honor Graduate during the cadet
- 17 Non-Commissioned Officers Academy, earning the Good Conduct Ribbon for three straight
- 18 years, and being placed on the Dean's List for five semesters; and
- 19 WHEREAS, some of the many activities Cadet Bernhardt devotes his time to include the
- 20 Ranger Challenge team, where he has served as squad leader, operations officer,
- 21 noncommissioned officer in charge, and commander; the Scabbard and Blade National
- 22 Military Honor Society, serving as commander; and the Corps of the Cadets Shooting Sports
- 23 Team, serving as captain; and

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24 WHEREAS, this year, Cadet Bernhardt has also been selected as a Distinguished Military

- 25 Student, an exclusive honor given to top graduating seniors; and
- 26 WHEREAS, upon his graduation in May, 2009, Cadet Bernhardt plans to commission on
- active duty in the Infantry Branch.
- 28 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
- 29 the members of this body recognize Cadet Kevin H. Bernhardt for his outstanding
- 30 achievements and extend best wishes for his future endeavors.
- 31 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that Cadet Kevin H. Bernhardt is hereby invited to appear
- 32 before the House of Representatives at a date and time to be fixed by the Speaker of the
- 33 House for purposes of being recognized by the House and receiving an appropriate copy of
- 34 this resolution.